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APPLICATION:	Received Over a Data Network		

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# AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF FEBRUARY 12, 2003 PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

## I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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Applicants respectfully submit this document as responsive to the above referenced office action and/or communication from the USPTO.

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### • Request for Entrance of Response

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Applicants respectfully requests that the following response be entered as responsive to the February 12, 2003 (paper no. 11) office action ("Office Action").

#### • Requests for Extension/ Fees Due

Applicants request a three month extension to the shortened statutory period for response set forth in the outstanding Office Action. A check for the sum of \$600 (small entity) including \$465 for the three month extension of time, \$9 for an additional claim over twenty, and \$126 for three additional excess independent claims. While such sum is believed to be that due with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 033-975.

#### • Format of this Response

This response is submitted in compliance with the revised format for making amendments to the specification, claims and drawings officially adopted by the USPTO on July 30, 2003, and which is now reflected in 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

Only one version of the claims with markings to show changes are provided in accordance with such regulation (underlining to show additions and strike-through marks or [[]] (for deletion of five or less characters) to indicate deleted material). A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were in the application, delineated as either (Original), (Currently Amended), (Canceled), (Withdrawn), (Previously presented), (New), or (Not entered), are presented. A complete listing of the claims commence on a separate sheet of this document with the text of "canceled" or "not entered" claims not being presented as set forth in the revised rules. As such claims are not to be presented, concurrent "canceled" or "not entered" claims may be aggregated in respect of delineation of status. Withdrawn claims and claims unamended are shown without mark-up.

If a substitute specification is submitted herein, a clean form and marked-up version are included. Amendments to drawings, if any, are submitted in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84 on replacement sheets as an attachment to this document (with an accompanying detailed explanation of all of the changes with respect to the drawings made in the remarks section of this amendment.